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By the KING,

A PROCLAMATION.

GEORGE R.

WHEREAS Our Parliament ſtands prorogued to Thurſday the Fourteenth Day of this Inſtant September; We, with the Advice of Our Privy Council, do hereby publiſh and declare, That the ſaid Parliament ſhall be further prorogued on the ſaid Fourteenth Day of this Inſtant September, to Thurſday the Twenty-ſixth Day of October next: And We have given Order to Our Chancellor of Great Britain to prepare a Commiſſion for proroguing the ſame accordingly. And We do hereby further declare Our Royal Will and Pleaſure, That the ſaid Parliament ſhall, on the ſaid Twenty-ſixth Day of October next, be held for the Diſpatch of divers weighty and important Affairs. And the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgeſſes, and the Commiſſioners for Shires and Burghs, of the Houſe of Commons, are hereby required to give Attendance accordingly, at Weſtminſter, on the ſaid Twenty-ſixth Day of October next.

Given at Our Court at St. James's the Sixth Day of September, One thouſand ſeven hundred and ſeventy-five, in the Fifteenth Year of Our Reign.

GOD Save the KING.

St. Ildephonſo, Auguſt 21. Laſt Night his Royal Highneſs the Prince of Aſturias attended his Catholick Majeſty in his Cloſet, at the Diſpatch of Buſineſs with the Miniſter for Foreign Affairs: And his Royal Highneſs will for the future regularly aſſiſt on the like Occaſions.

Stockholm, Auguſt 22. We have received from Abo the melancholy News, that a Fire lately happened there, by which above Two Hundred Houſes, and Fifteen Mills, had been conſumed, and ſome Lives loſt.

St. James's, September 9.

The King has been pleaſed to grant unto Charles Toll, of Preſton Deanery in the County of Northampton, Eſq; and his Iſſue, His Royal Leave and Licence to take and uſe the Surname and bear the Arms of Newman, (the ſame being firſt duly exemplified and regiſtered, according to the Laws of Arms, in the Heralds Office;) and alſo to order, that this His Majeſty's Conceſſion and Declaration be regiſtered in His Majeſty's College of Arms.

AT the Court at St. *James's*, the 23d Day of *Auguſt*, 1775.

PRESENT,

The KING's moſt Excellent Majeſty in Council.

WHEREAS His Majeſty was pleaſed, by His Order in Council of the 5th of April laſt, to direct, that no Perſon or Perſons whatſoever ſhould, at any Time during the Space of Six Months, to commence from the 19th Day of the ſaid Month of April, preſume to tranſport out of this Kingdom, or carry Coaſtwiſe, any Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, (except the Maſter-General, Lieutenant-General, or Principal Officers of the Ordnance, for His Majeſty's Service) without Leave or Permiſſion in that Behalf firſt obtained from His Majeſty, or His Privy Council; and whereas there is great Reaſon to ſuſpect, that great Fraud and Colluſion have been and may be practiſed in the Shipping and Exportation of Gunpowder, Arms, and Ammunition, under Licences which have been already granted; — His Majeſty doth therefore, by and with the Advice of His Privy-Council, hereby revoke and make void all and every Licence and Permiſſion which have been hitherto granted for the Exportation or carrying Coaſtwiſe of Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition; and doth hereby order, require, prohibit, and command, that, during the Space of Three Months from the Date of this His Majeſty's Order in Council, no Perſon or Perſons whatſoever (except the Maſter-General, Lieutenant-General, or Principal Officers of the Ordnance, for His Majeſty's Service) do preſume, without Leave or Permiſſion in that Behalf firſt obtained from His Majeſty, or His Privy Council, to tranſport, into any Parts out of this Kingdom, or carry Coaſtwiſe, any Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, or ſhip or lade any Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammunition, on Board any Ship or Veſſel, in order to tranſporting the ſame into any Parts beyond the Seas, or carrying the ſame Coaſtwiſe, upon Pain of incurring and ſuffering the reſpective Forfeitures and Penalties inflicted by an Act paſſed in the 29th Year of His late Majeſty's Reign, intituled, "An Act "to impower His Majeſty to prohibit the Exportation "of Salt-petre, and to inforce the Law for im-"powering His Majeſty to prohibit the Exportation "of Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms and Am-"munition; and alſo to impower His Majeſty to "reſtrain the carrying Coaſtwiſe of Salt petre, "Gunpowder, or any Sort of Arms or Ammu-"nition." And the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, the Commiſſioners for Executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of Great Britain, the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the Maſter-General of the Ordnance, and His Majeſty's Secretary at War, are to give the neceſſary Directions herein as to them may reſpectively appertain.

Steph. Cottrell.

War Office, September 2, 1775.

IT is His Majeſty's Command, that all the Officers appointed from Half Pay to the additional Companies now forming in Ireland, do immediately repair to Dublin, and follow the Orders they have received, on Pain of His Majeſty's Diſpleaſure.

BARRINGTON.

East India Houſe, Auguſt 23, 1775.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies, do hereby Notice,

That the Tranſfer Books of the Eaſt India Annuities will be ſhut on Wedneſday the 13th Day of September next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Friday the 13th of October following.

And that the Dividend Warrants due the 10th of ſaid October will be ready to be delivered on Friday the 3d of November next.

Cuſtom-Houſe, Edinburgh, September 5. 1775.

IN Purſuance of the Directions of the Right Honourable the Lords Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Treaſury, founded upon the Statute of the 11th *George* III. *the Commiſſioners of the Cuſtoms at Edinburgh do hereby give Notice, That the Receiver-General of the Cuſtoms will be ready, at his Office in Edinburgh, on the* 25th *of this Month, to pay and diſcharge the Bounties due for the following Buſſes, fitted out and employed in the Herring Fiſhery, in that Part of Great Britain called Scotland, in the Years* 1767 *and* 1768, *being according to their Priority in thoſe Years, as directed by their Lordſhips, viz.*

George, of Stranraer.
Elizabeth and Jean, of Irvine.
Martine, of ditto.
Happy Return, of Campbeltoun.
Ann, of Rothſay.
Chriſtian, of Tarbert.
Fortunate Mally, of Air.
Adventure, of Turnburry.
Amelia, of Kerry.
William, of Stranraer.
Peggy and Jean, of ditto.
Dorothy, of Greenock.
Betty and Mary, of Iſlay.
Nancy, of Irvine.
Lady Stonefield, of Tarbert.
Friendſhip, of Sky.
Portrie, of ditto.
Jenny, of Stranraer.
James, of Gigha.
Three Siſters, of Lorn.
Tryal, of Cowal.
Peggy, of Locknell.
Daniel of Campbeltoun.
Jackie, of ditto.
Betty, of Achanaba.
Iſabella, of Iſlay.
Suſie, of Campbeltoun.
Lady Harriot, of Iſlay.
Lord William, of Cowall.
Rubie, of Campbeltoun.
Robert and Mary, of Peterhead.
Nelly of Campletoun.
Annabella, of ditto.
Providence, of ditto.
Flora, of ditto.
Canterbury, of Peterhead.
Robert, of Colonſay.
Betty, of ditto.
Mally, of Oranſay.
King's Fiſher, of Inverary.
Woodhall, of Iſlay.
Gallanach, of Jura.
Mally, of Kerry.
Lady Largie, of Campletoun.
Robert, of ditto.
Mally, of Stornaway.
Ferrytoun Merchant, of Wigtoun.
John and Ann, of Campbeltoun.
Friendſhip, of Coll.
Adventure, of Port Glaſgow.
Jean and Betty, of St. Margaret's Hope.
Lord Forbes, of Fort William.
Janet, of Birken Iſles.
Lady Margaret, of Sky.
Clyde, of Borrowſtoneſs.
Forth, of ditto.
Lovely Betty, of Canna.
Jenny, of Sky.
Diſpatch, of Inverkeithing.
Mally, of Kerry.
Queen's-Fiſher, of Inverary.
Catharine, of Tarbert.
Beggars Benniſon, of Iſlay.
Cabberfea, of Stornaway.
Tarbert, of Greenock.
New Donald, of ditto.
Nancy, of Irvine.
Springkell, of Greenock.
Janet, of ditto.
Venus, of ditto.
Janet, of ditto.
Betty, of Dumfries.
Martha, of Salt Coats
Pelican, of Irvine.
William and Margaret, of Salt Coats.
Polly, of Greenock.
Glencairn, of ditto.
Robert and Gabriel, of ditto.
Ann, of ditto.
Betty, of Campbeltoun.
Mary and Janet, of ditto.
Jeanie, of ditto.
Grange, of Salt Coats.
Peggy, of Greenock.
Betty, of Stranraer.
Elizabeth, of ditto.
Providence, of Greenock.
Nelly, of ditto.
Alexander, of ditto.
Bonnetta, of ditto.
Anns, of Campbeltoun.
Adventure, of Air.
Ann, of Girvan.
Anderſon, of Air.
Hannah, of Rotheſay.
Ann, of ditto.
Peggy, of Greenock.
Sarah, of Stranraer.
Dolphin, of Port Glaſgow.
Marquis of Lorn, of Mull.
Dolphin, of Greenock.
Katy, of Port Patrick.
Iſobel, of Port Glaſgow.
Sally, of Rothſay.
Jean, of ditto.
Fiſher, of Salt Coats.
Betty, of Luing.
Robert, of Colonſay.
Johns, of Stranraer.
Peggy and Jean, of ditto.
William and Betty, of ditto.
Betty, of Achanaba.
Arran, of Arran.
Williams, of Stranraer.
Jenny, of ditto
Carwhine, of Eaſdale.
Peggy, of Lochnell.
Suſanna, of Rothſay.
Charlotte, of Craigniſh.
Tyger, of Tarbert.
John and William, of Campbeltoun.
Argyle, of ditto.
Duke of York, of ditto.
Barbard, of ditto.

Together with the Intereſt due on all ſuch Bounties to the 25th *Inſtant, from and after which Time Intereſt will ceaſe, in Purſuance of the ſaid recited Act.*

By Order of the Commiſſioners,
Shadrach Moyſe, *for the Secretary.*

Merchants Seamens Office, Royal Exchange, September 8, 1775.

A Quarterly General Court of the Preſident and Governors for the Relief and Support of Sick, Maimed, and Diſabled Seamen, and of the Widows and Children of ſuch as ſhall be killed, ſlain, or drowned, in the Merchants Service, will be held at this Office, on Wedneſday the 27th *Inſtant, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.*

By Order of the Preſident and Committee,
Wm. Oddy, *Secretary.*

Eaſt-India Houſe, September 6, 1775.

THE Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies do hereby give Notice,

That a General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Leadenhall-Street, on Saturday the 13th *of April,* 1776, *from Nine o'Clock in the Morning until Six in the Evening, for the Election of Six Directors of the ſaid Company, for four Years, in Purſuance of an Act paſſed in the* 13th *Year of His preſent Majeſty's Reign.*

And the ſaid Court do further give Notice, that by the above-mentioned Act, no Perſon will be entitled to vote at the ſaid Election who ſhall not have been poſſeſſed in his or her own Right of 1000*l. Stock for Twelve Calendar Months, except in the Caſes provided for in the ſaid Act; that every Perſon poſſeſſed in like Manner of* 3000*l. Stock will be entitled to give two Votes; that every Perſon poſſeſſed in like Manner of* 6000*l. Stock will entitled to give three Votes; and that every Perſon poſſeſſed in like Manner of* 10000*l. Stock, or more, will be entitled to give four Votes, at the ſaid Election; and that no Perſon in any Circumſtance will be qualified to vote, unleſs for Stock ſtanding in his or her own Name.*

Rye, September 6, 1775.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the next Meeting of the Commiſſioners for compleating and keeping in Repair the Harbour of Rye in the County of Suſſex, will be held at the Sluice Houſe near Rye, on Thurſday the 21ſt *of September inſtant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon.* John Jeakens, *Treaſurer.*

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Aſſignees of Paul Briſcoe, Mercer, of Welchpoole in Montgomeryſhire, deceaſed, intend to make a Final Dividend of his Eſtate and Effects, on Monday the 2d of October next; and all his Creditors who have not yet proved their Debts, are deſired to do it on or before that Day, and ſend their Affidavit to Mr. John Williams, Attorney, at Welchpoole aforeſaid, or they will be excluded the Benefit of it. N. B. Mr. Thomas Counſel, of Bath, will pay the Dividend, of which proper Notice will be given to every Creditor.

AVERAGE PRICES of CORN,

From Auguſt 28, to September 2, 1775.

By the Standard WINCHESTER Buſhel of Eight Gallons.

	Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
London,	5	3	3	5	2	11	2	0	3	7
COUNTIES INLAND.										
Middleſex,	5	4	———		3	4	2	3	3	6
Surry,	5	3	3	5	3	5	2	3	4	2
Hertford,	5	4	———		———		2	3	3	10
Bedford,	5	9	4	2	———		2	2	3	4
Cambridge,	5	9	3	3	———		1	10	2	9
Huntingdon,	6	2	———		3	1	1	11	3	1
Northampton,	6	7	4	7	3	5	2	1	3	0
Rutland,	6	2	3	6	2	4	2	1	———	
Leiceſter,	6	9	5	3	3	6	2	0	3	6
Nottingham,	5	4	4	6	3	3	2	0	3	10
Derby,	6	3	———		———		2	1	3	10
Stafford,	6	6	5	2	———		2	2	3	10
Salop,	6	9	5	0	3	2	1	10	4	5
Hereford,	6	1	———		———		2	1	———	
Worceſter,	6	9	4	8	3	7	2	7	4	2
Warwick,	6	10	———		———		2	6	5	0
Glouceſter,	6	6	———		———		2	2	4	0
Wilts,	5	5	4	5	2	10	2	5	4	3
Berks,	5	9	———		3	2	2	4	3	5
Oxford,	6	11	———		3	6	2	7	3	11
Bucks,	5	7	———		3	5	2	2	3	2
COUNTIES upon the COAST.										
Eſſex,	5	2	3	1	3	3	2	4	3	6
Suffolk,	5	8	3	1	3	0	2	1	3	1
Norfolk,	5	10	3	1	2	6	1	10	———	
Lincoln,	5	9	3	10	3	0	1	9	3	4
York,	5	8	4	1	3	2	2	0	3	9
Durham,	5	2	3	1	———		2	1	4	1
Northumberland,	5	1	3	8	3	1	2	0	3	8
Cumberland,	5	1	3	6	2	10	1	11	3	8
Weſtmorland,	5	3	———		3	2	2	0	———	
Lancaſhire,	5	11	———		3	5	2	2	3	5
Cheſhire,	6	3	3	10	3	10	2	0	———	
Monmouth,	6	1	———		3	4	1	10	———	
Somerſet,	5	9	3	4	———		2	2	3	7
Devon,	5	4	———		2	11	1	8	———	
Cornwall,	5	6	———		2	10	1	8	———	
Dorſet,	5	9	———		2	10	2	2	4	1
Hampſhire,	5	6	———		2	11	2	4	3	7
Suſſex,	5	0	———		2	8	2	1	3	4
Kent,	5	3	———		3	1	2	3	3	2

From Auguſt 21, to Auguſt 26, 1775.

WALES.										
North Wales,	6	3	4	10	3	3	1	8	4	3
South Wales,	5	9	5	2	3	4	1	8	3	4

Part of **SCOTLAND.**

Wheat.		Rye.		Barley.		Oats.		Beans.		Big.	
4	11	3	7	2	11	2	3	2	11	2	8

Publiſhed by Authority of Parliament,

Willm Cooke.

LIFE ANNUITIES.

PURSUANT to an Act of Parliament made and paſſed in the 12th Year of His preſent Majeſty's Reign, for enabling the Lord Biſhop of Durham and his Succeſſors to raiſe a competent Sum of Money to be applied for repairing, rebuilding, and improving, ſuch Part of Tyne Bridge as belongs to the See of Durham; Notice is hereby given, that the Truſtees named in the ſaid Act intend to ſell Three Annuities of 50 l. for one Life each, ſuch Life being of the Age of Forty Years or upwards, to the beſt Bidder, Regard being had to the Circumſtances of Age and Health of the Nominee. And any Perſon deſirous of purchaſing ſuch Annuity, may deliver in Propoſals in Writing at the Chambers of Mr. Thomas Lloyd, in Holborn-court, Gray's-inn, ſignifying what he or ſhe is willing to give for ſuch Annuity, and the Age and Health of the propoſed Annuitant.

N. B. The Annuities to be raiſed purſuant to the abovementioned Act, are charged upon, and payable out of, the Rents, Revenues, and Profits of the See of Durham.

WHereas Patrick Nevil, a Native of the City of Waterford in the Kingdom of Ireland, embarked from thence ſome Time in the Year 1753, being then between 62 and 63 Years of Age; ſince which no ſatisfactory Account has been received of his being alive or dead, though publiſhed ſeveral Times in the London Gazette in the Year 1764; but, by the laſt Accounts his only ſurviving Siſter Mary Nevil Murphey, a Reſident in Waterford aforeſaid, received, it appears, that the ſaid Patrick Nevil died at Jamaica in the Year 1756, as certified by one Captain Andrew Harney, a Dublin Trader. He was about five Feet ten Inches high, ſomewhat groſs, ſmooth faced, much ſwarthy, occaſioned by the Jaundice and a paralytic Diſorder in his Head, with which he was very much afflicted. Any Perſon that can give a proper and authentic Account of his Death without lawful Iſſue, ſhall receive as a Reward the Sum of 10 l. Sterling; and a Reward of 20 l. Sterling will alſo be paid to any Perſon who can give a clear and ſatisfactory Account of his being living, and where he may be heard of, upon Information of which, the above Sums will be immediately paid by the following Gentlemen:

Bartholomew Valois, Eſq; Cadiz.
Meſſ. Thomas Scott and Co. Love-lane, London.
Chriſtopher Gernou and Edward Nally, Eſqrs. Bourdeaux.
Mr. Thomas Littledale, Merchant, Rottercam.
William Cunningham, Eſq; and Co. Merchants, Glaſgow.
Mr. Patrick Deaſe, Merchant, Dublin.
Mr. Michael M'Dermott, Merchant, Cork.
Mr. Bartholomew Rivers, Merchant, Waterford.

Hull, Auguſt 14, 1775.

WHereas Peter Thornton, formerly of the Town of Kingſton upon Hull, Dryſalter and Druggiſt, who died about forty Years ago, is ſuppoſed to have died indebted to ſeveral Perſons in Trade, in London, to the Amount of 500 l. but to whom by Name, or in what Sums, is not now known, and the Heir at Law of the ſaid Peter Thornton being deſirous that his Debts ſhould be fully paid and ſatisfied; Notice is hereby given to all ſuch Creditors of the ſaid Peter Thornton, that if they will ſend a particular Account of their reſpective Demands to Mr. Smith, Attorney, in Hull, within ſix Months from the Date hereof, the ſame will be forthwith afterwards diſcharged.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors (if any) of Hugh Heny, late of the Jewel Office in the Tower of London, Gentleman, deceaſed, are, on or before the 6th Day of November next, to come in and prove their Debts before Thomas Harris, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's-inn, or in Default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Catharine Arkle, of Holles-ſtreet, Cavendiſh-ſquare, in the Pariſh of St. Mary le Bone in the County of Middleſex, Milliner, Dealer and Chapwoman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of her Eſtate and Effects, on Tueſday the 12th Day of September inſtant, at Six of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Saint Ann's Coffee-houſe in Church-ſtreet, Soho, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending, one or more Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter in Diſpute relating thereto; and and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt Charles Chadwick, of Salford in the County of Lancaſter, Fuſtian-manufacturer, Dealer and Chapman, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Thurſday the 21ſt of September inſtant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the Spread Eagle, in Salford aforeſaid, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the ſaid Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending, one or more Suits at Law or in Equity concerning the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing, any Matter or Thing relating to the ſame; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued againſt George Pears, of the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surry, Mercer, are deſired to meet the Aſſignees of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects, on Thurſday next the 14th of September inſtant, at Six in the Evening, at the White Hart Tavern, Biſhopſgate-ſtreet, in order to aſſent to or diſſent from the Aſſignees commencing, proſecuting, or defending any Suit or Suits at Law or in Equity relating to the Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; or to their compounding, ſubmitting to Arbitration, or otherwiſe agreeing any Matter or Thing relating to the ſame; and on other ſpecial Affairs.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Henry Lord Apſley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time for Alexander Marr, of the Pariſh of St. John the Evangeliſt Weſtminſter in the County of Middleſex, Baker, Dealer and Chapman, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for Thirty Days, to be computed from the 16th Day of September inſtant; This is to give Notice, that the major Part of the Commiſſioners named in the ſaid Commiſſion intend to meet on the 16th Day of October next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf, between the Hours of Eleven and One of the ſame Day, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, and finiſh his Examination; and the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, may then and there come and prove the ſame, and aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

PUrſuant to an Order made by the Right Honourable Henry Lord Apſley, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for Enlarging the Time for George Pears, of the Borough of Southwark in the County of Surry, Mercer, (a Bankrupt) to ſurrender himſelf, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects, for Thirty-five Days, to be computed from the Twenty-third Day of this inſtant September; This is to give Notice, that the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named and authorized, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 28th Day of October next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London; where the ſaid Bankrupt is required to ſurrender himſelf between the Hours of Eleven and One of the Clock of the ſame